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TITLE OF INVENTION

METHOD FOR DETERMINING THE FREQUENCY RESPONSE OF AN ELECTROOPTICAL COMPONENT

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- 3. [X] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
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 - a. [] is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
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- 11. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- [X] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. [X] A preliminary amendment.
- 14. [X] An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- 15. [] A substitute specification.
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- 18. [] A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
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